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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Marton et al.

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For: METHODS TO ASSESS QUALITY OF
MICROARRAYS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action mailed August 28, 2008 in connection with the above-identified application be extended for a period of one (1) month from November 28, 2008 to and including Sunday, December 28, 2008.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$130.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013, referencing Docket No. 9301-159-999 (301891-999151). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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